

## Wichita Eagle

## SECRET SOCIETY NEWS.

ITEMS OF INTEREST FROM THE VARIOUS FRATERNAL ORDERS.

**Pictures and Descriptions of Two New and Magnificent Masonic Temples—Splendid Homes of the Craft in Sandusky and Denver—Other Masonic Intelligence.**

No better evidence of the prosperity and steady growth of Freemasonry could be advanced than news of the number and magnificence of the temples which are being built by the craft in many places. Pictures of two of the most notable additions to Masonry's list of splendid buildings are given below. They are both reproduced from The Voice of Masonry and Family Review.



**MASONIC TEMPLE AT SANDUSKY, O.**  
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The new temple at Sandusky, O., is a fine structure and the pride of the craft in that city. It was ceremonially dedicated June 24, 1890. It stands at the corner of Washington and Wayne streets, and is built of Amherst buff and blue limestone and Sandusky blue limestone. The cost of the structure, including grounds and furniture, was \$90,000. It has a frontage of 100 feet and a depth of 90 feet, and has four stories and a basement, with a tower 100 feet high. The third and fourth floors are devoted to masonic uses, offices, etc., occupying the remainder of the building.

The lodge room occupies the third floor, and is 47 by 62 feet, with a height of 30 feet, and balconies on three sides. Adjoining this room is the Red Cross room, 21 by 43 feet. The armory on the fourth floor is provided with clothes closets for equipments and uniforms. Two rooms in the tower are also used for the same purpose. The tower overlooks the entire city and its colored glass windows are adorned with the emblems of the different lodges—lodge, chapter, council and commandery. The furnishings are complete and elegant.

The Denver Masonic temple is one of the finest in the world. It stands at the corner of Sixteenth and Welton streets. It is seven stories high and occupies an area of 100 by 120 feet. The three lower floors are given up to mercantile uses, while the four remaining stories are devoted to Masonry, and are reached by an exclusive entrance on the Welton street side. The building is provided with an elevator as well as a magnificent stairway, and the rest of the building is devoted to the same purpose.



**MASONIC TEMPLE AT DENVER, COLO.**  
ception room where each first leaves the guests is one of the most attractive apartments in the temple.

In comfort of furnishings, convenience of arrangement and elegance of appointments the chapter room is perfect. It has steam heating apparatus, gilt and glass chandeliers and side lights for gas and electricity, and all the accessories, ranging from the most modern to the most primitive, and the room is necessary to the work of a body that has gained fully 120 members in the last year.

The lodge room, the commandery room, the banquet hall, and in fact all the rooms in the temple have been completed and furnished on the same generous scale.

**A. O. U. W.**

Figures Showing Rapid Growth in Kansas—Other Notes.

The grand lodge of Kansas was instituted Sept. 4, 1872, with five lodges. On Dec. 31, 1879, there were nine lodges and a membership of 143; on Dec. 31, 1882, sixty-nine lodges and a membership of 2,722; on Dec. 31, 1885, 178 lodges, membership 8,808; on June 30, 1890, 186 lodges and 10,000 members, and five lodges instituted since June 30.

The grand lodge of Montana was instituted at Helena, Mont., Dec. 18. A recent item in the newspapers says that it is the intention of the fraternity in Helena to lay the foundation stone of a \$100,000 A. O. U. W. building at the same time.

A new lodge has just been instituted at Evansville, Ind., composed largely of the leading business and representative men of the city.

Canada had 288 applications during the month of September, as officially reported by Grand Recorder M. D. Carter.

New York paid beneficiaries in August \$60,000.

In 1880 there were 600 Workmen in New England; now 19,000 is the total.

The lodges in Cleveland are doing good work this fall.

**KNIGHTS OF PYTHIAS.**

**Minnesota Officers' Terms Extended—The Endowment Rank.**

The grand lodge of Minnesota has extended the terms of the subordinate lodge officers to one year in place of six months as heretofore.

The endowment rank has paid nearly \$50,000 in life of deceased members.

Arkansas stands first in the endowment rank. One-third of its membership is reported.

The new temple in Chicago will have a front on Clark street of 107½ feet and 120 feet on Oakdale street, and will cost over \$150,000.

In West Virginia the order has gained twelve lodges and 354 members during the past year.

The Press club of Milwaukee dispenses more hospitality than any other community of entertainment at the conference.

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**THE WORLD'S FAIR OF 1893**

**Rapid Progress of Arrangements With Foreign Nations.**  
(Special Correspondence.)

CHICAGO, Dec. 23.—With the issue of President Harrison's proclamation inviting the nations of the earth to be represented in Chicago, the World's Columbian exposition assumes for the first time in an official sense an international phase. Not but what the people of a greater portion of both hemispheres are already advised of the fact that the United States is preparing for a world's fair.

The Atlantic cable, flashing its daily budget of information from the shores of Columbia to those of Albion; the tons of newspapers and other periodical literature that are weekly carried from New York by the ocean steamships to be distributed far and wide; and the personal advocacy of the tens of thousands of Americans who during the past summer have scattered themselves over continental Europe, have all been part and parcel of one great missionary effort in behalf of the under-lying nations which must be convinced before the powers that be can indicate any official recognition of the nation's desires.

Official communication having thus been established, the department of foreign affairs of the exposition is in position to go forward with its program. This includes the addressing of communications to every representative of the United States in diplomatic service abroad, from ministers plenipotentiary to vice consuls, giving them complete information regarding what has been done and what remains to be done, and the printing in five languages and their distribution abroad of the rules and regulations already adopted.

Secretary Blaine, moreover, can proceed to enlist the entire force of the state department in the work, while Messrs. P. Handy, whose appointment as chief of the bureau of promotion and publicity has been received with general approval from all parts of the country, may enter upon his duties by correcting the somewhat erroneous impressions that prevail abroad concerning the lack of progress made by the exposition by giving the leading journals of Europe and South America a correct account of the present situation, and a statement of the advantages to be gained by liberal displays of the products of their respective countries.

The board of lady managers, too, proposes to make its influence felt in the foreign field, and among its suggestions that have been received with especial favor is one for the establishment of honorary boards of ladies throughout Europe in general and Chicago in particular, as a means of stimulating public interest among the gentler sex. No less a personage than the Princess of Wales is to be invited to preside over the ladies' board of Great Britain.

Drawing out of the publication in this correspondence of the plans which have practically been adopted for the occupancy of Jackson park, there has been a good deal of inquiry relative to the uses to which the Lake Front—that vast expanse of land running from Harrison to Randolph

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across, and strung on the one side by Michigan avenue with its Auditorium hotel, Richfield, Leland, Art Institute and other noted structures, and on the other by the tracks of the Illinois Central, with Lake Michigan beyond—is to be put. Nothing definite on this subject can be properly said for some time to come.

To quote one of the prominent officials of the directory, and whose opinions were expressly asked for this correspondence: "The uncertainties involved in the legal aspect have prevented progressive action by the directory, and until some settlement is reached between the Illinois Central, the Michigan avenue property owners and a special committee of the board no one can tell what structures can be erected on the Lake Front."

It is a question, however, whether this view of the situation, while intended to be conservative, does not verge toward the pessimistic. At all events, there may be no doubt that an agreement will be reached between the apparently conflicting interests which will enable the city entrance to the fair to compare favorably with the magnitude and grandeur beyond.

One scheme which has been approved by the joint committee of the property owners, the directory and the city council contemplates a new right of way for the railroad 300 feet wide and adjoining the present right of way. The tracks are to be lowered to a depth that will permit them to be covered and become a part of the park, and to be reached by stations built after a style that would make them permanent ornaments to the locality.

This scheme would allow the World's fair directors to occupy as much ground as they need, outside of the new right of way, to make a park of the approach to the building, and to locate a magnificent art palace

on the present made ground within a stone's throw of the Auditorium.

The whole matter now rests in the hands of the Illinois Central. That corporation must make a definite proposition, upon which the city council and state legislature will pass. Whatever may be agreed upon by these two bodies will be satisfactory to the directory and the property owners. Meanwhile the delay is not by any means dangerous, for, as President Palmer intimated to President Harrison at their recent interview, the general arrangements are far in advance of the conditions which prevailed two and a half years prior to the opening of the Philadelphia Centennial.

**EVENING AT THE FARM.**  
Pale twilight glows with hurried pace. Fast follows where the red sun kissed the sand; With many faint comets but warm trace, And hovers her softening dusk breathes o'er the land.

The drowsy bird note dies upon the breeze; She draws back her face from the dew; The shadow falls no longer from the trees; Where sport itself laments, or, under eaves, The larkspur clamor ceases, like a fall.

The wall flowered field horse muzzles in his stall; The watch dog turns his head and straw lined shed, Nor dares through sleep to fainter danger call.

Within the farm house porch is drowsy mood; The day work better takes his well earned rest; While building youngsters watch with round eyes.

To catch the doorman in his evening quest, It is the hour for silent spirit lands; To speed with white winged prayer—no petal grows.

So the king labor, folds his weary hands; Nor yet has he dreamed of slumber to be thrown— Josephine Post Spoons in New Orleans Times Democrat.

## FRATERNAL GOSSIP.

NEWS AND NOTES FROM LODGE ROOM AND CASTLE HALL.

**A Brief Sketch and a Portrait of Judge Arthur Benjamin De Lamarre, Deputy Supreme Chief of the Knights of the Golden Eagle in Mississippi.**

The Knights of the Golden Eagle in Mississippi recently showed their appreciation of the labors of Sir Knight Arthur Benjamin De Lamarre, who introduced the order into that state, by appointing him deputy supreme chief of the order in Mississippi.

The following sketch and accompanying portrait are reproduced from The New Orleans Daily States.

Judge De Lamarre, the deputy supreme chief, is a native of New Orleans. He will be 29 years of age on the 25th of June, and has been an active citizen for several years, despite his youth. He began his education at St. Louis, and completed his studies in the Jesuit Fathers' college at Spring Hill, near Mobile, Ala., receiving his degree of A. B. in 1879. He removed to Biloxi in 1878, and has resided there ever since.

His wife, Miss Emile Rousseau, daughter of the late Gen. Alfred Rousseau, of the Confederate army.

Mr. De Lamarre is now a "solid" citizen of Biloxi, a justice of the peace for Harrison county, elected by the Democrats by a large majority in 1889. He has just been commissioned jury commissioner and United States census officer for his county.

He speaks with equal ease and fluency the Spanish, French and English languages. He is an honored member of the Biloxi fire department, and is president of the Mississippi Hook and Ladder company, No. 2. Mr. De Lamarre is vice chancellor of the Biloxi Lodge, No. 54, Knights of Pythias.

For one of his age the young deputy supreme chief has done well indeed, socially, politically and in a business way.

**The Beginning of the American Navy.**  
The career of the American navy, strictly speaking, began with its reorganization under Washington's second administration in 1794. At the close of the revolution the vessels that had been built or purchased during the struggle had all been captured, lost or sold, except the Alliance, 22 guns; the Deane, 32, and the George Washington, 20 guns, and soon after the announcement of peace these vessels also were sold.

At the time Washington assumed the reins of government in 1793 the affairs of the navy were placed in the hands of the secretary of war, and it was not until the 30th of April, 1794, that a navy department was added to the president's cabinet. Benjamin Stoddert, of Georgetown, D. C., being the first secretary. On the 27th of March, 1794, a law was passed for the establishment of a permanent and organized navy.

By this law six frigates, rating not less than 32 guns, were ordered; but it is more than probable that even this step would not have been taken had it not been for the seizure of our merchant ships and the enslaving of their crews by the rovers of Barbary. These six frigates were the Constitution, President, United States, Chesapeake, Congress and Constellation—Century.

**A Fall Poem.**  
Little drops of water,  
Little pools of sleep,  
Little sighs and tunings,  
By night.

—Washington Star.

There is a rumor, not very well authenticated, that Indian gloves have wide itching. It makes the hands look wider and is not likely to obtain.

**Easily Answered.**  
Little Marjorie has an inquiring mind. She is pursuing her education according to the Socratic method—of question and answer—and keeps the older members of the family pretty well employed.

"Oh, papa," she cried, running after that busy man, as he was just starting for his office, "wait just a minute, please; I have two very important questions I want to ask you."

"I can't stop now, Marjorie," said her father; "I'm in a great hurry this morning."

"It won't take you but just a minute to answer them, papa," pleaded Marjorie, "for you always know about everything."

"Well, what are they?" asked papa, not quite proof against this flattery, though his hand was on the doorknob.

"I knew you'd wait," said Marjorie, in triumph, "and all I want you to tell me is, how they make condensed milk, and how a Brazilian's forehead is made."

"Ask your mamma, Marjorie," said her father, as he fled from the house.—Youth's Companion.

**New Hazard in Chemical Manufacture.**  
Attention has been drawn to the danger of fire in the use of chloride of potash, sugar and muriate of ammonia in the manufacture of tablets. While it is generally known that chloride of potash, together with organic matter, forms a powerful explosive, it should be understood that under certain conditions it is an agent in producing fire without an explosion.

Sugar alone requires a temperature of 600 degs. Fahrenheit, and if an accumulation of dust or particles of the two ingredients named should form a mixture on the steam pipes of a factory a fire might be caused. It is therefore urged that the manufacture of the chloride of potash and muriate of ammonia tablets shall be restricted or prohibited as being dangerous to the welfare of the community.—New York Commercial Advertiser.

**A Mozart Opera House.**  
About three years ago a few enthusiastic admirers of the musical works of Mozart suggested that an opera house should be built in which nothing but his compositions should be played, as there is for Wagner's music at Bayreuth. The proposition was laughed at.

But now the project is being seriously considered. The proposed building is to be erected in the city of Salzburg, Austria. Ground will probably be broken on it within a month or two. The accompanying picture is a sketch of the architect's drawing. The total cost of the building is estimated at \$500,000.

**THE PROPOSED STRUCTURE.**  
It has been met with much favor; the money has been raised, plans arranged and site selected. The latter is in the city of Salzburg, Austria. Ground will probably be broken on it within a month or two. The accompanying picture is a sketch of the architect's drawing. The total cost of the building is estimated at \$500,000.

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Oh, that happy, happy morning,  
In the early months of June;  
When the sky speed blew 'n' amillor,  
'N' the river sang a soon.

We not kinder still 'n' diest,  
Did Elmer Jane 'n' me,  
Tha' a wotter joy too seldom  
For expensive, do you see?

For we'd been 'n' mornin' married,  
An' 'n' wotter joy too seldom,  
Tha' our sorrow yit too cum.

Well, we've had 'em both in plenty,  
'N' Elmer Jane 'n' me,  
'N' I feel to grow more lovelier,  
As I near the shadowy shore.

When the night is dark 'n' bleak,  
An' I seem to hear the rattle  
Of the little two wheeled cart.

'N' the rattle of the river  
As we rode upon our way,  
Fifty year ago this summer,  
Upon our wedding day.

—Edith M. Norris in Yankee Blade.

**She Caught a Moon.**  
Sunday evening a gentleman and his wife, who live on a street pretty near the tunnel, attended evening service at the Fourth church and went to the gallery. The service was about half over when they were annoyed by a continued rattling and scuffling back of them, and looking around they saw several girls standing upon the seats, while a number more were moving uneasily about as if trying to avoid some danger. Just then the word "raise" uttered in a stage whisper, partially solved the trouble, and the man turned toward his wife. His wife is mortally afraid of rats and mice, and the mention of the word "raise" set her to jumping.

Presently the people in the gallery began to leave, but the scuffling continued until the lady whispered to her husband that they too had better go. So they arose and left, and the lady breathed freer when she reached the street. When they arrived at home they were laughing at the incident, when the lady screamed and jumping into a chair grasped something in the folds of her dress. "It's the mouse," she said to her husband as she clung to her garment.

She was right, too, but it was dead, probably from the clatch she gave in her excitement.—Herald Courier.